# CITY OF MODESTO STORMWATER SIGNIFICANT RISK RANKING MODEL

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#### Purpose of the Significant Risk Model

Develop a method to reduce risk to receiving water and improve water quality by quantitatively evaluating the effectiveness of the following controls:

- 1. BMP
- 2. Public Outreach
- 3. Engineering Controls
- 4. SOPs

#### Goal

The significant risk ranking model provides a method to evaluate the effectiveness of existing controls and to shift additional resources to risk level 3 and 4 areas.

#### Calculation of Significant Risk Score

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Total Significant Risk Score =  (probability)*(significance) * \left[ \sum (weight factors) * (Percent Rating) \right]
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#### Application of Significant Risk Score

The significant risk model was applied to the following Program elements as required by 40 CFR 122.34, and identified in the permittee Storm Water Management Plan to determine if additional controls are required for:

- Illicit Discharges
- Municipal Program
- Industrial/Commercial
- Construction Program
- Planning and Land Development

### Probability

Probability was ranked as 1 through 4 as defined below:

- Probability 1 = Impact fully mitigated
- Probability 2 = Impact controlled by procedures and engineering controls
- Probability 3 = Procedures and inspections have not been fully implemented and there is a history of failure
- Probability 4 = Aspect is not fully mitigated,
   impact could have serious consequences

#### Significance Level

A significance ranking from 1 to 4 was assigned to each aspect based on the occurrence, as listed below:

- Significance 1 = less than 25% of total occurrence
- Significance 2 = between 25% and 50% of total occurrence
- Significance 3 = between 50% and 75% of total occurrence
- Significance 4 = greater than 75% of total occurrence

#### Weight Factor

Weight factor was defined as the percentage of the following:

- Hazard = 30%
- Volume = 20%
- BMPs Containment = 10%
- Potential Impact to Water Quality = 10%
- Overall Impact to Environment = 10%
- Impact to Facility or System = 10%
- Impact to Community = 10%

#### Rating

Rating was defined as 1 through 3

- Low Impact = 1
- Moderate impact = 2
- Significant Impact = 3

# Significant Risk Ranking

The risk model allows us to rank potential risk to receiving water and identify potential action items as listed below:

- Significant Risk 1 = Action item, review BMPs
- Significant Risk 2= Action item, review BMPs and public outreach
- Significant Risk 3 = Action items, review BMPs, public outreach, SOPs
- Significant Risk 4 = Action items, review BMPs, public outreach, engineering controls, and SOPs

# Probability Ranking

Probability is ranked from 1 to 4 from not probable to probable.

Not Probable	Slightly Probable	Moderately Probable	Probable	
1	2	3	4	
Impact fully mitigated:	Impact controlled by procedures and abatement equipment:	Aspect is not frequently inspected or checked:	Aspect is not fully mitigated:	
Area is monitored, training is in place, and impact is unlikely due to physical characteristics of the material.	Area inspected, monitored, BMPs are effective, public out-reach has been effective.	Equipment, piping or sewer lines are subject to failure, no public outreach has been ineffective, history of failures.	•	

### Significance Ranking

Significance is ranked from 1 to 4 based on the frequency of an occurrences, number of events, or number of facilities.

Not Significant	Significant	Moderately Significant	Very Significant	
1	2	3	4	
< 25% Significant	> 25% < 50% Significant	> 50% < 75% Significant	> 75% Significant	
Occurences less than 25% of the total	Occurrence are between 25% and 50% of the total	Occurrances are between 50% and 75% of the total	Occurrances are greater than 75% of the total	

# Overall Risk Ranking

Countermeasures					
Significant Score ≤ 350   350 < Significant Score ≤ 500		500 < Significant Score <u>&lt;</u> 650	Significant Score > 650		
<u>Risk 1</u>	Risk 2	Risk 3	<u>Risk 4</u>		
De Minimums No Action Required	Increase monitoring and documentation required	Increase monitoring and documentation	Increase monitoring and documentation		
	BMP Requirement,	Increase frequency of cleaning, modify BMPs	New BMPs required, increase frequency of cleaning		
		Additional controls to be evaluated	Additional engineering controls required:		
			Design changes maybe required		

### Example: Restaurant Significant Score

		Risk Level				
		1 2		3	Risk Score	Risk Factor
Restaurant 53%		No discharge rinse water recovered	Discharge confinded to lawns	Rinse water not controlled		
	30%	Not Hazardous, Low Impact to Water	Hazardous, localized Impact to	Hazardous, Significant 60		
Hazard		Quality	Water Quality	Impact to Water Quality		
	20%	≤ 55 gals (460 lbs)	> 55 (460 lbs) < 1000 gals	< 1000 gals (8340 lbs) 40		
Volume			(8340 lbs)			
	10%	Inside or outside Bldg contained,	Inside Bldg minimal	Outside Bldg no	20	
Containment and BMP		BMPs effective	containment, minimal BMPs	containment, no BMPs		
Potential Impact to Water	10%	Negligible Impact	Moderate Impact	Significant Impact	30	Risk 4
Quality						Nion 4
	10%	Negligible potential for release	Potential for release but	Potential for release off-site	20	
Impact to Environment			confined onsite			
	10%	Negligible impact to Bldg or facility	Potential impact to Bldg or	Serious impact to Bldg or 10		
Impact to Bldg or Facility			facility	facility		
	10%	Negligible impact to community	Potential impact to community	Serious impact to community 20		
Impact to Community						
				Sum of I	Risk Factors:	200
1200 /P 1 1	Probability		2			
$1200 = (Probability)*(Significance)*[\sum (Risk)*(Percent)]$ Significance					3	
(probability) * (significance)						6
Significant Score:						1200

# Calculating Significant Score and Risk

		Risk Level	Risk Score
Restaurant 53%			
	30%	2	60
Hazard			
	20%	2	40
Volume			
	10%	2	20
Containment and BMP			
	10%	3	30
Potential Impact to Water Quality			
	10%	2	20
Impact to Environment			
	10%	1	10
Impact to Bldg or Facility			
	10%	2	20
Impact to Community			
		Total	200
C' 'C' 1 C > 1200	Probability	2	
Significant Score ≥ 1200	Significance	3	
	(probability) * (significance)	6	
		Significant Score:	1200

### Industrial and Commercial Risk Ranking

				Action Items			
Municipal Program Potential Impacts Risk and Mitigation	<u>Ranking</u>	<u>Risk</u> <u>Ranking</u>	Action Required	Are SOP Effective?	Are Current BMPs Effective	Is Public Out Reach Effective	Additional Engineering Controls Required
Restaurants	<u>1200</u>	<u>4</u>					
Gasoline Retailers	<u>580</u>	<u>3</u>					
Auto Body Shops	<u>520</u>	<u>3</u>					
Industrial Facilities	<u>520</u>	<u>3</u>					
Auto Repair Shops	500	2					
Equipment Rentals	480	2					
Car Wash	400	2					
Auto Dealers	380	2					
Kennels	360	2					
Nurseries	360	2					
Dry Cleaners	300	1					
Fleet Services	260	1					
Recyclers	260	1					

# Analysis of Industrial and Commercial Facilities

Initial focus is on those facilities with a Risk Ranking  $\geq$  3 that include:

<u>Facility</u>	Risk Ranking
Restaurants	4
Gasoline Retailers	3
Auto Body Shops	3
Industrial	3
Facilities	

#### Action Items

#### Evaluate effectiveness of:

- Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs)
- Best Management Practices (BMPs)
- Public Outreach
- Engineering Controls

#### Follow-up

Randomly audit facilities to ensure effectiveness of implemented action items and re-evaluate Risk Ranking to determine if Risk has been reduced.



# Questions?